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## THE STATE PLATFORM

Some Strong Planks Adopted at the Waco Convention.

#### INDORSES SAYERS.

No Free Passes to Be Issued - Wants Compulsory Arbitration to Settle Disputes Between Employer and Employe.

Waco, Tex., Aug. 10 .-- The committhe following report from the subcom-

decision of which will mark an era in the life of our republic, the Democracy of Texas, in convention assembled, desires to emphasize its indorsement of the platform of the party set forth by the maintaining the fundamental principles of government as announced therein.

2. We congratulate our people upon the nomination by our party of a man vancement. for president whose splendid statesmanship knows no section and whose lofty tem is hurtful to the best interests of patriotism has elevated American man. the masses, we demand that the Demoof the nation 15 electoral votes for Wil- a law prohibiting railways for giving liam Jennings Bryan and Adlai E. Ste- free transportation except to sheriffs,

and uninfluenced by organized greed.

4. Believing that United States senators ought to be elected by a direct vote of the people, we instruct our delegation in congress to work for the submission of a constitutional amendment having this end in view.

5. Recognizing that Texas is the natural gateway for the commerce of the transmississippi states, we commend our senators and members of congress for their earnest efforts toward obtaining Federal aid in deepening our harbors and improving our waterways, and we handle a reasonable number of cars. urge them to use all honorable means to further these enterprises.

the ownership, construction and control of the Nicaraguan canal by the United ination at any primary election held by States government would be of great authority of any political party shall be substantial and permanent benefit, not only to the entire country, but to Texas especially, our senat- at a primary election file with ors and representatives in congress are requested to give their earnest and ac- time after such primary, an itemtive support to such legislation as will ized statement on oath showing a com-

accomplish the purpose. ministration of Governor Sayers as being omical, and we especially approve of the enlargement and maintenance of the state eleemosynary institutions, putting them in the highest degree of efficiency and enabling them properly and promptly meet every of taxation to the lowest rate of any state in the union save one; the energetic' en. fixed where not now provided. forcement of the criminal laws, giving protection to life and property without regard to race or conditions; the making of needed reforms in the method of purchasing supplies for the state institutions; the inhibition upon counties, cities and towns to issue bonds without authority from a direct vote of the people, and the requirement upon the treasurers of counties, cities and towns to make annual reports of all bonded indebtedness and of the disposition of the sinking funds which shows the honest effort to equalize taxation; enactment of a law making rebating and discriminating by railroads a felony, thereby stopping the peraicious practice for the first time in the history of American commonwealth; the The quieting of land titles and providing for the issuance of patents to homestead locations and preemptions; the settlement of the deficiency due the permanent school fund, and the large increase in the available fund through the recoveries of moneys due for past illegal occupancy of the school lands, and also through the lease of additional lands; the present cash balance in the treasury for general revenue purposes of \$1,215,000, notwithstanding the heavy and much meeded appropriations by the Twentysixth legislature for the betterment of of the eleemosynary institutions and of the Agricultural and Mechanical college, and for the construction of an epileptic asylum, and for the payment of ex-Confederate pensions; the enactment and enforcement of an antitrust law, the building of cotton factories, result-

ing in the incorporation within the

present year of ten companies, having a

total capital stock of \$950,000 of author-

ized stock, which means an uplifting of

the price of this commodity and the

general improvement of the condition of

the agricultural and laboring popula-

tion: the encouragement given to every

form of industrial enterprise evidenced

by the inauguration of enterprises of

opment of our commercial institutions. 8. Recognizing the existence of gross inequalities in our present tax system, we favor such legislation as will equalize taxation without increasing its bur den and also secure the complete rendition for taxation of all property of whatsoever description except such as may be exempted by the constitution, and the prompt and certain payment of all taxes imposed thereon-to the end that every individual and every interest may be compelled to contribute in just propor-

tion to the support of the government. 9. The educational system of our state conceived by the fathers of the republic and fostered by Democratic statesmen, has become the just pride of our people, and we pledge our continued efforts to strengthen and maintain it in all its tee on platform and resolution received tisan politics. To this end we favor the branches and to keep it clear from parsubmission by the legislature of a constitutional amendment looking to the 1. Recognizing that the American election of school trustees and appointpeople are now confronted by issues, the ment of the members of the governing boards of the higher institutions of learning for a term of six years, as contemplated by law and practiced by each administration until declared unconstitutional by a recent decision of the supreme court. Feeling a just pride in Kansas City convention as being wise, the increased usefulness of the Univerpatriotic and expedient, and as present- sity of Texas, the agricultural and meing a righteous solution of the great ques- chanical college and its branch, the tions involved, and invites the coopera- Prairie View Normal, and other education of all classes of our citzienship in tional institutions, we favor such liberal appropriations by the legislature for their support and maintainance as will secure their greater efficiency and ad-

10. Believing that the free pass syshood, and we pledge to the Democracy cratic members of next legislature enact constables, marshals and their deputies 3. We especially commend the man- or persons in the employ of a railroad ner of their selection as voicing the and their immediate families. We furspontaneous will of a free people, un- ther demand a reduction in passenger controlled by the whip of the party boss fares corresponding to any increase in passenger earnings by reason of the discontinuance of the free pass system.

11. We pledge to the people an honest, economical and efficient administration of the public service in all of its branche

12. We favor the enactment of a law prohibiting the operation of doubleheader trains; that is two or more locomotive engines on one train, over any line of railway in this state except on divisions where heavy grades necessitate the use of two or more locomotives to 13. We demand that the next legis-

lature pass a law whereby the hiring of 6. In the confident expectation that any person to work or electioneer in the interest of any candidate seeking a nomabsolutely prohibited; and that such law require that each candidate

proper officer, within a given some plete account of all his expenses con-7. We indorse and commend the ad- nected with his candidacy, and that a violation of such law be punished by such penalty as will se ment thereof.

14. We renew our indorsement of the principles of reform in official fees, but recommended such change in the present law as will correct any inequaldemand; the successful management of ities of compensation for services that the penal establishments; the reduction experience may demonstrate to be necessary, a reasonable maximum to be

15. We favor the establishment by the state an industrial school for girls. 16. We demand a law limiting the hours of daily service of laborers, work-

men and mechanics employed upon public works or work done for the state of Texas to eight hours a day. 17. We favor a law creating a state

board of arbitration or conciliation, vested with power to settle differences between corporations and their em-

18. We recommend the enactment of a law defining civil libel that will be fair and free both to the public and the

#### IT IS ALL OVER.

Convention Renominaies the Old Officers, Except Judge Storey.

Waco, Tex., Aug. 10.-What in all probability will be the last day of the convention began formally at 10 o'clock this morning. After the call to order Miss Rainey of Waco sang "My Old Kentucky Home" and "Annie Laurie" in such a sweet way as to force a vote of thanks by the convention. The delegates were orderly during the singing but broke into rioting as soon as the young lady was seated.

Congressman S. W. T. Lanham of Weatherford was then recognized to make a nomination for governor. In eloquent phrase and captivating manner he placed the name of Joseph D. Sayeri before the convention. R. H. Parker of Williamson county seconding the nomination. Gavernor Sayers was renominated by acclamation amid cheers. He was brought before the convention and accepted in a characteristic speech of

thanks. T. U. Jones of Tyler, moved that all other candidates before the convention who had no opposition be renominated by acclamation and at once. The motion many kinds, the construction of 146 carried by an overwhelming majority miles of railroad during the first half of and the following gentlemen were put the present year and the general devel. on the ticket without dissent:

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Attorney general-Thomas S. Smith. Commissioner of land office-Charles Rogan.

Comptroller-R. M. Lake. Treasurer-John W. Robbins. Superintendent of public instruction-

S. Kendall. Chief Justice of the supreme court-R. R. Gaines.

Associate Justice of supreme court-F. A. Williams.

Judge of the court of criminal appeals - John N. Henderson

Hon. Thomas M. Campbell of Palestine nominated E. P. Curtis, Hon. R. H. Word of Austin placed Judge L. Storey's name before the convention and Senator James of Sulphur Springs named Joshua Morris of Cass county.

L. J. Story was elected on the first ballot. Mr. Curtis moved to make the nomination unanimous.

The convention adjourned sine die.

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### WACO CONVENTION.

#### State and Judicial Officials Renominated.

The democratic state convention at Waco has adjourned, all the present state and judicial officials who were candidates for reelection having been renominated. If additional evidence were want- | Congressman Lanham nominated ing that W. J. Bryan is in truth a Governor Sayers, who responded born leader, logician, statesman and with a speech of acceptance, after patriot, his speech of acceptance is which all the other candidates exproof enough. He deals largely cept those for railroad commiswith the paramount issue of impe- sioner were nominated in a bunch rialism, and his arguments are and made short speeches of acceptclear, masterful and convincing. ance. Judge J. L. Storey and E. Those who have confounded ex- P. Curtis were both nominated for pansion as advocated by Jeffer- railroad commissioner and judge

The first news of the renomination will find in this speech the tion of Judge Storey was received here in the form of a telegram from Dr. Geo. R. Tabor to his father. Major J. W. Tabor, who kindly handed the telegram to an Eagle

> Vera Cruz continues to send out encouraging reports of Dr. Bellinzaphi's yellow fever serum, which is curing many patients and improving all to whom it is admidistered.

The quickest way to kill a town is to promote internal differences and dissensions. No town split up into opposing factions ever yet succeeded to anything more than the dignity of a village. It takes not only money, but vim and energy, harmony and unity of action, to make live towns and thriving cities. No town that engages in dissensions can hold its place, The peaceable people will move to more congenial localities and those who remain to fight will have little else to do.-Wichita

The press dispatches state that the republican managers are becoming alarmed. With the democrats pressing them on every hand, they also have to contend with a lukewarmness among members of their own party who didn't get the offices. This will not count for much as republicans generally vote together. The danger to the republicans lies in the fact that the democrats who have strayed off, and the independent voters are going to east their lot with Bryan this year and aid the democratic cohorts in his election.

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## STORMY CONVENTION.

Democrats Have a Lively Time Over the Planks in the Platform.

#### HOGG AND BAILEY.

These Two Have a Hot Time Fighting Each Other-Convention Refuses to Censure Waters-Pierco Oil Company.

Waco, Tex., Aug. 10 .- It was 15 minutes after the appointed hour when Chairman Prince rapped for order last night. Never before, it is said, has there been a larger or more brilliant gathering in the Geyser City. Every delegate was in his place. The galleries were jammed. The boxes, some 25 in all, were occupied by ladies. Upon the stage sat the men who have fought the battles of the party from the days of its infancy to this good hour, when it boasts of its strength and is proud of its power. Near the press judge from the demonstrations of the delegates, has lost none of his oldtime popularity. Then there were Hogg and Bailey and Smith and scores of lesser lights.

The report of the committee on permanent organization and order of business, as adopted, is as follows:

Hon. Marshall Hicks, temporary chairman Democratic state convention: Your committee on permanent organization and order of business begs leave to recommend for permanent chairman of the convention Hon. Robert E. Prince of Navarro county; for permanent secretary, Mark Logan of Hamilton county.

Assistant secretary-Homer D. Wade of McLennan county.

Sergeant-at-arms—Tom Bell of Hill. Assistant sergeant-at-arms — Dick Ware of Mitchell county.

Hon. Cecil Smith, chairman of the committee on platform and resolutions, was introduced to the gathering. He was cheered, and when the cheering subsided he began to read the majority report of that body, but he had to make way for Secretary Logan, and that gentleman's stentorian tones rose high and clear above all else.

The clause calling for compulsory arbitration of differences between corporations and their employes was received with cheers, and he had to read it three

Then Chairman Smith presented the two resolutions which had been unanimously adopted by the convention.

The one calling for the establishment of a state board of health was first considered. Dr. J. H. Massey of Harris county said he hoped it would be voted down. He was greeted with cheers and howls. The band had to be called upon to drown the uproar. It was a hard job, but it finally triumphed. Then Dr. Massey resumed his argument. He moved to table the resolution. This was

Hon. V. W. Grubbs of Greenville took the floor and again was the band necesfor a time he, the band and the convention had a hot old time.

C. H. Willingham of Runnels made a decidedly warm. There was more boisterousness, but they could not howl him down. He stood on the platform and with a statuesque indifference puffed away at a cigar. In half a minute he was presented with more than a box full that he was opposed to the resolution. The resolution was then adopted.

The most turbulent scenes of the convention were presented when the next resolution came up for consideration. The delegates hooted and yelled at every one who gained the floor, in spite of the chair and the band. The resolution from the committee prohibiting the use of money in primary elections was adopted.

Then the Hogg amendment matter came up. This, Chairman Smith said, was the only minority report he had, the others having been withdrawn. It was offered in lieu of the free pass plank of the majority report. Among the others was a plank condemning the action of state officials in the Waters-Pierce oil matter which had been offered by Judge John M. Duncan of Tyler. In the executive session upon that occasion it precipitated a hot de-

A yell of protest went up when it was proposed to devote an hour and a quarter to each side of the discussion of Mr Hogg's proposed amendment.

Packery for Oklahoma City.

Oklahoma City, O. T.. Aug. 10 .- F. Hoefer of St. Joseph, Mo., made a written proposal to the directors of the Commercial Club, looking to the establish ment of a packinghouse here that will cost \$250,000. The proposition will be accepted and the site asked will be furnished. The work of construction will begin at once and the plant will be rushed so as to be used this fall. About 30 men will be employed.

#### J. M. Head Resigns.

Chicago, Aug. 10.- J. M. Head, mayor

#### A LONG MESSAGE.

Minister Conger Sends a Lengthy Mes sage to the State Department.

Washington, Aug. 10.-The Chinese mister this morning received a lengthy cipher dispatch containing over 100 words from Minister Conger at Pekin, addressed to the state department. It is in the American code throughout, so the contents are not known. Mr. Wu promptly delivered the message to the state department. The cablegram was deciphered at the state department after considerable time owing to the length. The text has not yet been given out, but has been forwarded to the president at Canton. It is substantially a duplication of the message from M. Pichon, the French envoy at Pekin, which was published this morning and indicates that 8 foreign ministers at the Chinese capital had agreed to send a duplicate message to their several governments.

The only new feature in Minister Conger's message is a list of American casualties. He reports 7 killed and 16 wounded. Captain Myers and Surgeon Lippitt, who were among the wounded, are doing well. No action will be taken on the Conger message until President table was Hon. John H. Reagan, whom McKinley has been heard from. It is age has not made feeble and who, to said at the state department under the present conditions Minister Conger and the other Americans in Pekin will not be advised to leave the Chinese capital with a Chinese escort, as all the ministers seem to agree that such a departure will be very dangerous.

#### EDICT FROM PEKIN.

Li Hung Chang Is Authorized to Nego tiate for Peace With the Powers.

London, Aug. 10.—An edict emanating from Pekin and authorizing Li Hung Chang to negotiate for peace, has, it is reported from Shanghai, under Thursday's date, been received there.

Correspondents at Yokohama again sends a statement that a Russo-Japanense force as moving on Pekin from the north. The movements and numbers of this force are, it is further asserted, kept secret in order to prevent the facts from reaching Pekin.

The French consul at Shanghai says 3000 Annamite troops will arrive there next week for the protection of the settlement. The Chinese merchants at Shanghai have petitioned the foreign consuls there to prevent the landing of troops, declaring it will create a panic among the Chinese.

Li Ping Heng, former governor of Shan Tung, personally commanded 15,000 Chinese at Shan Tsun.

Dispatches received here from Berlin say Emperor Francis Josef and King Victor Emanuel III have telegraphed Field Marshal Count von Waldersee, congratulating him on the appointment to chief command of the allied troops in China. Field Marshal von Walder see, it is announced here, will sail Aug. 21 or 22 from an Italian port and will go to Shanghai first,

#### THE GOEBEL MURDER.

Mrs. John Davis and Solomon Wilder or the Stand for the Defense.

Georgetown, Ky., Aug. 10.-Mrs. John Davis, wife of one of the defendants charged with being accessory to the Goebel assassination, was the first witness introduced by the defense in the sary to quell the roars of disapproval. Powers trial. The commonwealth's at-The gentleman from North Texas re- torney Franklin, interposed formal obtorted spiritedly to those about him and jection to the eligibility of the witness, witness. She said Powers boarded at her house. John Powers was also there a few remarks in opposition that were Jan. 25. She testified that the latter was ill in his room at her house on that day and did not leave the room after 11 o'clock on that day. This was in contradiction of the testimony of Robert Noakes who told of an alleged conversa tion with John Powers at the statehouse in which he said the latter told him to of cigars. He finally got a chance to say stay close to the building as something was going to happen as soon as Goebel and those fellows came down.

Solomon Wilder of Whitley county testified that Robert Noakes was at Corbin in March and asked him not to tell anybody he was in town, as he might be arrested in connection with the assassination conspiracy. Noakes further said he believe Caleb Powers was innocent. He said the members of the Noakes military company at Corbin, instead of being desperadoes as Non es had alleged, were mostly good men.

Walter Day, former Republican state treasurer, testified that Youtsey sent for him the day before the shooting. He went to see Youtsey and the latter told him that for \$3000 he would settle the contest. Witness pressed Youtsey to know how he would accomplish it, but the latter would only say for that amount he would accomplish it. Witness said to Youtsey: "I am not that kind of a man," and refused to confer further with Youtsey about it.

#### NEW CHWANG TAKEN.

The Russians Capture the Town and ther Disarm the Inhabitants.

"Krabrevsk, Aug. 9.—General Ren nenkampf on Aug. 7 overtook and de feated the enemy beyond the Amui river, capturing two guns. The battle continued as far as Jgest. During the evening of Aug. 7, the Chinese assumed the offensive on both our fianks. They were driven back with great loss. Rennenkampf has been reinforced with infantry, artillery and cavalry. Railroad north of Tashi Tsao is in the hands of of Nashville, Tenn., has resigned as a the Chinese, who destroyed the station member of the national Democratic exec- at Hai Cheng Aug. 6, and damaged the ntive committee, and Hon. Norman E. line. Hai Cheng was rreaptured after Mack of Buffalo has been selected by an obstinate fight. Mountain floods in National Chairman Jones to fill the valine.

Later on. During this hot weather when everybody is hanging around close to the soda fountains and sighing for an excursion to the polar regions, the subject of pushing business smacks of unmitigated gall.

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is going to let the other fellow talk himself to death now while the weather is hot, and we will come in on the home stretch when cooler weather comes, fresh and full of business and and vive business snap and vim.

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#### LOCAL NEWS.

Will Closs has returned from Marlin.

Miss Sue MoLelland is visiting in

yesterday.

Dr. R. H. Harrison went to Benchley yesterday.

Mrs. Mattie Smith returned from Calvert yesterday.

Miss Tina Knoblauch returned from Calvert yesterday.

Drink Mt. Vernon pure rye for sale by the Exposition Saloon. Bob Burns and Sam Pate were here from Iola yesterday.

relatives in Grimes county. Mrs. Berry Kellett of Houston is

visiting Mrs. A. M. Waldrop.

Miss Daisy Montgomery and Miss Lena Beard are visiting in Waco.

Alex Chance of Liberty Hill, Williamson county is here visiting rela-

Robert Howell has returned after spending a week very pleasantly at

H. F. Petry of Austin is here in the interest of the Friend-in-need society of Texas

Marriage licenses were issued yesterday to George Williams and Mattie Thomas.

Mrs. J. B. Priddy has been visiting er. Apply to R. R. Knowles. 215 relatives in Cottonwood neighborhood this week.

The best refrigerated meats of all kinds at the city market, S. W. Buchanan, proprietor. 234

Rog dale vs. Bryan—white teams; Kegiot's Park, Aug. 12, 13 and 14.

to see if you want to put some real the late ffrm. Ali notes and acestate on the market in good shape, counts due and owing said firm to be and have it advertised and put in the paid J. J. Hanus. way of selling. See his card elsewhere.

Engineer J. D. Trammell was here vesterday afternoon and stated track laying on the new railroad would be completed to Thompson's creek by tonight, and that the two bridges at Thompson's creek and two at Still creek would repuire ten days to build. With no unusual amount of rain he thought the road would get here by Aug. 28.

The ladies of the Baptist church will serve lunch, French coffee and iced drinks on the evening and night of the grand barbecue at the eity park from 6 to 8:30 p. m. Visit-Judge W. H. Nall went to Calvert ors will find it to their interest to call. Nice lunches from 15 cents up. The public invited and will be cordially treated.

Allen Academy, with course of study extended and faculty increased offers superior advantages. Now is the time to enroll. We shall be glad to call or mail you catalogue. Address, J. H. and R. O. Allen, Principals, Bryan, Texas.

There are 1000 chances to get a prize for guessing at the census, in Genuine Imported old Tom Cat the Eagle's guessing contest, and Gin at the Eposition Saloon. 153tf fifteen thousand dollars is the Mrs. E. W. Crenshaw is visiting highest prize. Other prizes are \$5000, \$2000, \$1000, \$500, \$200, \$100, etc.

dw tf Capt. J. J. Adams, Jndge Spencer Ford, J. S. Ford, W. C. Boyett of College, and E. B. Seay of Madisonville returned yesterday from the

Waco convention. Give your business to A. D. Mc-Conico, fire, life and accident insurnce. Only the best companies represented. Gin insurance a specialty. Bryan Texas.

Go to see the games between Rock. dale and Bryan white teams-Kernole's park, Sunday, Monday and

Tuesday, Aug. 12, 13 and 14. 215 WANTED-A good honest white boy; must be good two-handed milk-

Metropolitan cigars are the best. Sold by the Exposition Saloon. dtf

#### Notice.

The firm of J. J. Hanus & Co. is this day dissolved by mutual consent, J. F. Zak retiring from said Good games, go to see them. 215 firm, J. J. Hanus continuing the Judge V. B. Hudson is the man to same and assuming all liabilities of

August 10 1900.

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In Wall Paper, the latest and handsomest, have just been added to our already large and well assorted stock. Call and see them. Buy direct and save the solicitor's commission.

TYLER HASWELL.

#### FOR ORGANIZATION.

to Democrats for a Thorough Organization of Clubs.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Will in J. Bryan and party have arrived in his city. They were driven to the Auditorium, where man Jones and members of the national committee regarding the conduct of the campaign. When Mr. Bryan leaves here he will go to his home in Lincoln where he will remain during the balance of vorable conditions produced by too the month. Mr. Stevenson will proceed much rain, which made the atto Lake Minnetonka with his family, where he will remain for some weeks.

The following address was given out: year by a thorough organization. A Democrats and all who are in sympathy with the principles set forth in the to join Democratic clubs or when none the others who went. exists to assist in organizing one. This work of uniting the forces of law and liberty into one great systemized civic without delay. The friends of the government, according to the hitherto uncannot afford to be less zealous or less active than the advocates of an can ignore the attacks which are being made upon the very foundations of our present irreproachable form nee for the legislature, was there of government. This year every citizen looking after his political interests. should be a politician. Clubs and societies should at once communicate with tion of Democratic clubs, 1370 Broadway, New York City," so that united membership may work systematiccally made it. All Democratic committees, state and local, are required to aid the

#### The Neely Case.

New York, Aug. 10. General Henry L. Burnett United States district attorney, returned here from Washington. He had a conference with secretary Root and Attorney General Griggs as to the suggestion in Judge LaComb's opinion would be followed and the criminal charge of bringing stolen funds into the United States, the examination of which is pending before United States Commissioner Shields would be discontinued. In a civil suit for the wrongful conversion the order of arrest against Neely would be vacated, but the suit itself would be pushed for the recovery of the

#### Farmers' National Congress.

Chicago, Aug. 10.-John M. Stahl, secretary of the Farmers' National congress, said the attendance at the national meeting to be held at Colorado Springs Aug. 20-24, will be the largest in the history of the congress. Delegates from the northeast and middle states asked for special cars to take them to Colorado ting along well and will be com-Springs. Among the subjects to be dis pleted in a few days. cussed are; "Relation of farming to manufacture and transportation," "A merchant marine," and "interoceanic canal, taxation, irrigation and good roads.

#### Kisssing Bug's Bite Fatal.

Jacksonville, Fla., Aug. 10.-Mrs. M. Burk, wite of a prominent jeweler, died from the effect of a "kissing bug" sting. while sitting on the porch she felt the insect's bite on her lip, but thought little of it. The lip began paining her, and while out riding she fainted. Doctors were called in but they could do nothing, and she died, after suffering intense agony all the week. Her husband is in Detroit on business, and he was telegraphed for. Physicians say the bug's bite caused blood poisoning.

#### Went to Sleep on the Track.

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Houston, Aug. 10 .- James Barron, aged 54, a white laborer. was mortally injured near Pasadena by a train on the Galveston, Houston and Northern rail way. It seems that the man had gone to sleep on the track and was struck by a train.

#### Killed by a Streetcar.

Dallas, Aug. 10.-A negro named Rufus Plummer was struck by an electric car here on east Main street and killed. The accident occurred near the corner of Main and Duncan streets. It was said that the negro was crossing the tracks diagonally and became confused at the approach of the car and a wagon. The motorman rang his bell and made every exertion to stop car when he saw that an accident was imminent. He was not successful in stopping the car before it struck the negro. The body was removed to an undertaking establish ment at once. Plummer was about 20

#### The McPherson Arrives.

New York, Aug. 10.-The United States transport McPherson from Santiago Aug. 2, with nine officers and 412 men of the Fifth infantry on board, ar rived here.

#### Little Brazos Swolen.

Hearne, Tex., Aug. 10,-The Little Brazos river has been swollen a great deal by the rains which have fallen in the past week.

Payment to Wichita Indians. Chickasha, I. T. Aug. 10.—Payment of \$100,000 will be made to the Wichits Indians at Anadarko.

#### THE BIG REUNION.

## Bryan Was Well Represented by Citizens and the Band.

The annual reunion of Camp John G. Walker, held near Madi-Mr. Bryan will remain several days for sonville, is over and the Bryanites the purpose of consulting with Chair- have returned well pleased with their trip, and the courteous treatment they received. The reunion was a success in spite of the unfatendance smaller than it would otherwise have been. Bryan was To the Democrats of the United well represented by those who States:-The Domocratic party and its went over to mingle with old friends must meet the forces of corrup- friends and make new ones and to invite all to continue making Bry-Democratic club or society should be an their trading point. The band organized in every city, town; village boys, with their handsome uniand precinct in the United States. forms and splendid music, were the recipients of many compliments Kansas City platform are earnestly urged and remained a day longer than

Among the features of the occasion was an eloquent address by army should be carried on simultane. Judge Norman G. Kittrell of Housously in every part of the country and ton which brought tears to the eyes of many of the old vetcrans. challenged American theory of political There was an abundance of barequality everywhere under the flag, becued meats and other good things to eat. Business men of Huntscolonial empire support ville had a fireworks display Weded by rifles. No patriotic citizen nesday night at the grounds. Dr. J. L. Fountain, democratic nomi-

Among the others present from "the secretary of the national associa- Bryan were J. Allen Myers, who gave away a sewing machine to the most popular lady present; W. in defense of the republic as the fathers R. Johnston for Sanders Bros & Co., Harry Dillashaw for Mistrot, national association of Democratic clubs Bros. & Co.; Dr. N. M. McDougald and L. B. Mendola for Zuber & McDougald; R. M. Nall for Bryan Brick Warehouse; A. W. Buchanan for Buchanan, Bros.; J. P. Priddy for G. S. Parker; Tom Preston for the Bryan Oil Mill and Ginning the future course of the government in the Neely case. General Burnett said lor & Cox; Ed Wren for Levy Bros.; W. T. James for James & Castles; W. F. Gibbs for Burt Norwood; M. H. James; Sam B. Wilson for Wilson Jenkins Drug Co.; Dr. H. L. Fountain, W. A. Reed, Hugo Jahn.

> Those who attended the reunion report that numbers of the Madison county people said they were coming over to the big railroad celebration here. They also report that the work of repairing the road and bridges at the Democrat crossing on the Navasota river is get-

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#### YANG TSUNG TAKEN.

It Is a Strategetic Point and Will Be Used as a Supply Base.

Washington, Aug. 10.-The capture of Yang Tsun, the first objective point of the international forces, was the supreme news of importance received here on the Chinese situation. The first word of this capture, effected last Monday, came in a brief dispatch to the signal office at the war department from Col. Scriven, the signal officer at Che Foo.

Half an hour after this message was received a cablegram came from Gen. Chaffee giving additional details of the capture and showing that it had been at the cost of about 60 casualties among the American troops. Gen. Chaffee's dispatch is as follows:

"Yang Tsun, Aug. Aug. 6.-Yang Tsun occupied today. Wounded: Second Lieutenant Frank R. Long, Ninth infantry, moderate; casualties, about 60 men Ninth U. S, infantry, Fourteenth U. S. infantry and battery F', Fifth U. S. artillery. Nearly all from Fourteenth infantry. Names later. Many men prostrated by heat and fatigue."

Hardly less important was a dispatch from General Terauchi, second in command on the Japanese staff, sent to the war office of Japan, and transmitted to the legation stating that the international army would total 50,000 men on Aug. 15, at which time the real advance on Pekin would begin. General Terauchi's dispatch stated that on Aug. 4, when it was forwarded the advance had not yet begun. This was at first incomprehensible in view of the fact that fighting had actually occurred. But the latter statement that the international army would total 50,000 men on Aug. 15, appears to make clear General Terauchi's meaning and to reconcile it with General Chaffee's dispatch,

The present movement, of some 16,000 men, doubtless is viewed in the light of a reconnoissance in force, the main movement of the army of 50,000 to follow on Aug. 15. This makes clear the meaning of General Chaffee's dispatch that Yang Tsun was the objective point. The war department here has been considerably puzzled over this statement of an objective point, far short of Pekin. It would appear, however, from Gen. Terauchi's dispatch, that the first force of 16,000 men, having opened up communication to Yang Tsun, brought forward supplies and established this advance base, the way would then be clear for the advance of the larger force on Aug. 15. The capture of Yang Tsun is, therefore, an important strategic branch of the fast maturing military plans. The place is about 18 miles beyond Tien Tsin and little less than a quarter of the way to Pekin.

Colonel Scriven's statement, "wire up" contains much meaning, as it is accepted as showing that there is direct telegraphic communication with the army in the field. Aside from the as surance this gives of speedy transmis sion of news from the front, it gives additional assurances that the line of communication is intact back to the first base of operations. The capture of Yang Tsun on the day following the battle of Pei Tsang is regarded as a highly suc cessful military achievement, especially in view of the fact that it was looked upon as a stronghold whose capture might give the foreigners considerable trouble.

Aside from the military developments of the day the diplomatic aspect of the crisis was made more clear by the pub lication of the demand made by the United States on the imperial govern ment of China and transmitted to Minister Wu last evening.

#### In Chicago.

Chicago, Aug. 10.-Hot weather re cords for this city were broken today and will be broken again on Saturday and probably for several more days after that. The local forecaster will not hazard a guess after the next three days all he says will be of the same torrid nature as the last six days and he has fears of the weather after the next three days have gone. Four deaths aud 29 prostrations was the result of the hot weather yesterday.

#### Hottest of the Year.

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 10. -Today was the hottest day of the year. A little girl was found in a vacant lot insensible from

#### Hot in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, Aug. 10.—Three deaths and 20 prostrations occurred in this city.

#### Collision at South McAlester.

South McAlester, I. T., Aug. 10 .- A Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf passenger train was run into by a freight train while standing on the crossing here. One coach and the engine was damaged, but no one hurt.

#### Child Fell Into a Well.

South MoAlester, I. T., Aug. 10 .- A 9-year-old son of J. P. Dufon of El Dorado fell into a well 60 feet deep and was instantly killed by striking on a projecting rock near the bottom.

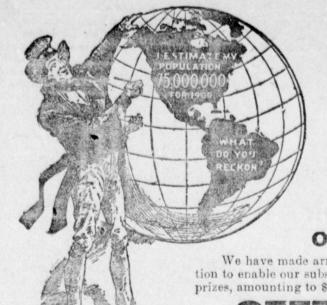
#### The Plot Failed.

London, Aug. 10.-A special dispatch from Pretoria says the Boer plot to make Gen. Roberts a prisoner and shoot all the British officers possible was discovered Thursday, including the recapture of Pretoria and the shooting of Gen. Roberts and to induce burghers to rise enmasse. A number of suspected accomplices of the couspirators have been conducted across the border. The British authorities are awakening to the danger of allowing Boer sympathizers remain in Pretoria and issue of passes to burghers have been stopped.

#### Residence Burned.

Gainesville, Tex., Aug. 9.—The country home of L. D. Lindsay, teller of the Gainesville National bank, two miles west of the city, was destroyed by fire.

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YEAR	POPULATION	INCREASE	CENT
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1800	5,308,483	. 1,379,269	35
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1850	23,191,876	. 6,122,423	35
1860	31,443,321	. 8,251,455	35
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	50,155,783		
1890	62,622,250	.12,466,467	$\dots 25$

The population for 1900 at an increase of 21% over population of 1890 would be 75,772,922; an increase

At an increase of 22% it would be 76,399,144; an in-At an increase of 24% it would be 77,651,588; an increase of 15,029,338.

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